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State revokes, suspends licenses, certifications, registrations of health care providers

OLYMPIA — The Washington State Department of Health has revoked or suspended the licenses, certifications, or registrations of health care providers in our state. The department has also immediately suspended the credentials of people who have been prohibited from practicing in other states.

The department's Health Systems Quality Assurance Office works with boards, commissions and advisory committees to set licensing standards for more than 70 health care professions (e.g., medical doctors, nurses, counselors).

Information about health care providers is on the agency's Web site. Click on "Provider Credential Search" on the left hand side of the [Department of Health home page](http://www.doh.wa.gov) (www.doh.wa.gov). The site includes information about a health care provider's license status, the expiration and renewal date of their credential, disciplinary actions and copies of legal documents issued after July 1998. This information is also available by calling 360-236-4700. Consumers who think a health care provider acted unprofessionally are also encouraged to call and report their complaint.

Benton County

In May 2010 the Registered Counselor Program indefinitely suspended the credential of **Stacy Ann Beebe** (RC.RC.60068773). Beebe failed to comply with previous terms and conditions set against her credential.

In May 2010 the Secretary of Health indefinitely suspended the credential of certified nursing assistant **Randy R. Ferguson** (NAC.NC.10048774). Ferguson failed to comply with a previous order.

In May 2010 the Health Care Assistant Program indefinitely suspended the credential of **Shane E. Thompson** (HCA.HC.60027034). Thompson failed to comply with previous terms and conditions set against his credential.

In May 2010 the Pharmacy Board indefinitely suspended the credential of **Jackalyn H. Winslow** (PTEC.VA.00068513). Winslow diverted thousands of hydrocodone tablets from her place of

employment over a six-month period. She then sold the drugs to a 19-year-old who sold them to multiple people who had neither medical need nor prescriptions for them.

Clallam County

In April 2010 the Chiropractic Commission indefinitely suspended the credential of chiropractic X-ray technician **Marie Elaine Bond** (CHXR.CX.00000953). Bond failed to comply with previous terms of a stipulation.

Grays Harbor County

In May 2010 the Surgical Technologist Program indefinitely suspended the credential of **Hayley C. Miller** (STEC.ST.60116679). Miller failed to comply with previous terms and conditions set against her credential.

In April 2010 the Emergency Medical Services and Trauma System Program indefinitely suspended the credential of emergency medical technician **Tina Marie Morgan-Schmidt** (EMT.ES.60093336). Morgan-Schmidt failed to comply with terms and conditions in a previous agreement.

King County

In May 2010 the Massage Program indefinitely suspended the credential of **Ricco A. Giancana** (MASS.MA.00017359). Giancana failed to comply with a previous order.

In May 2010 the Nursing Assistant Program suspended the credential of certified nursing assistant **Rita A. Hill-Wonder** (NAC.NC.10052799). Hill-Wonder pinched a patient's nose and clapped her hands loudly in front of a patient's face.

In April 2010 the Massage Program entered into an agreed order and accepted the voluntary credential surrender of **Brian J. Lucas** (MASS.MA.00011792). A client's breasts were exposed and the client says Lucas touched her genitals during a massage.

In May 2010 the Nursing Assistant Program permanently revoked the credential of **Joyce W. Ngigi** (NAR.NA.60062245). Ngigi applied for her credential using a false Social Security number, and failed to respond to department inquiries about it.

In May 2010 the Registered Counselor Program revoked the credential of **Andrew B. Phillips** (RC.RC.60010154). Phillips had a sex with a recent patient, who was a minor. The minor was also living with Phillips in the course of a dependency action.

Kitsap County

In May 2010 the Registered Counselor Program entered into an agreed order with **Kelly S. Shanley-Johnson** (RC.RC.00058575) to suspend her credential. Shanley-Johnson entered into a sexual relationship with a previous client. She must comply with terms and conditions.

Kittitas County

In April 2010 the Secretary of Health indefinitely suspended the credential of **Diane Cariveau Clark** (NAR.NA.00193893). Clark is barred from employment that involves the care of vulnerable adults or where she has unsupervised access to vulnerable adults. She stole money from two clients. She was convicted of third degree theft in 2009 and failed to respond to department inquiries about the incident.

Pierce County

In May 2010 the Registered Counselor Program revoked the credential of **Cynthia J. Berry** (RC.RC.00051466). Berry took money from one of her patients for a car and created a fraudulent bill of sale/contract. She did not transfer title and the car broke down. This caused harm to the patient resulting in the need for a significant amount of additional services from Berry's former place of employment.

In May 2010 the Registered Counselor Program indefinitely suspended the credential of **Dilys Deneise Miller** (RC.RC.60023969). Miller failed to comply with previous terms and conditions set against her credential.

In May 2010 the Registered Counselor Program suspended the credential of **Mayso Pickins** (RC.RC.00027296). Pickins was convicted of driving under the influence and driving while her license was suspended. She also failed to comply with previous terms and conditions set against her credential.

In April 2010 the Nursing Assistant Program granted the reinstatement request and suspended for at least five years the credential of **Jennifer C. Querin-Rorie** (NAR.NA.00188843). Querin-Rorie must comply with terms and conditions.

In May 2010 the Nursing Assistant Program indefinitely suspended the credential of certified nursing assistant **Shamon A. Williams** (NAC.NC.10066133). A patient fell when Williams attempted to move the patient without following the patient's care plan. She also failed to respond to department inquiries about the incident.

In May 2010 the Registered Counselor Program indefinitely suspended the credential of **Karen A. Young** (RC.RC.00047750). Young failed to comply with previous terms and conditions set against her credential.

Snohomish County

In May 2010 the Massage Program indefinitely suspended the credential of **Sharon L. Ballenger** (MASS.MA.00010904). Ballenger tested positive for controlled substances and failed to provide an explanation during a department investigation.

Spokane County

In May 2010 the Nursing Assistant Program indefinitely suspended the credential of certified nursing assistant **Christina M. McCoy** (NAC.NC.60039386). McCoy failed to respond to a department inquiry about allegations of a conviction.

Yakima County

In May 2010 the Nursing Commission suspended the license of registered nurse **Melody Kay Schneider** (RN.RN.00112541). Schneider evaded a workplace urinalysis and provided urine that wasn't her own.

Out of State

Iowa: In April 2010 the Chiropractic Commission revoked the credential of chiropractor **Jeffrey V. Kopp** (CHIR.CH.00001842). In 2008 Kopp was convicted of one count of conspiracy to commit money laundering and one count of conspiracy to distribute and possession with intent to distribute 1,000 kilograms or more of marijuana in U.S. District Court.

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